

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 20, as follows:

For example, bitter gourd is effective in inhibiting sugar absorption but is often disliked because of bitterness, and hot pepper is effective in promoting fat metabolism with its pungent component (capsaicin) but is often disliked because of pungency. Further soya milk is a healthy drink which is a convenient source of soybean protein but is often disliked because of particular odor. ~~However, they are often disliked because of bitterness, pungency and particular odor, respectively.~~